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METHOD FOR ENCODING MULTI-CHANNEL SIGNAL AND ENCODER

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PROCÉDÉ DE CODAGE DE SIGNAL MULTICANAL ET CODEUR

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[origin: EP3486904A1] A method for encoding a multi-channel signal and an encoder are disclosed. The encoding method includes: obtaining a multi-channel signal of a current frame (510); determining an initial ITD value of the current frame (520); controlling, based on characteristic information of the multi-channel signal, a quantity of target frames that are allowed to appear continuously, where the characteristic information includes at least one of a signal-to-noise ratio parameter of the multi-channel signal and a peak feature of cross correlation coefficients of the multi-channel signal, and an ITD value of a previous frame of the target frame is reused as an ITD value of the target frame (530); determining an ITD value of the current frame based on the initial ITD value of the current frame and the quantity of target frames that are allowed to appear continuously (540); and encoding the multi-channel signal based on the ITD value of the current frame (550). According to the method, encoding quality of a multi-channel signal can be improved.

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